Name: Date: Period:

Human Footprint Essay = 50 points

Essay must include answers to the following questions, in paragraph form

1. What is the human footprint?
2. If humans have been around for the equivalent of just a few seconds, in the broad scheme of time, how have we had such a large impact on the Earth?

(Age of Earth = 4.6 billion years ago; Human existence = 6 million years ago)

1. What do you think is the main component to your human footprint, your families? Why? Explain.
2. What are things you could personally do to reduce your human footprint?
3. What are ways the world could work towards reducing the human populations’ footprint?
4. What was the most shocking and/or interesting piece to you, in regards to the movie?